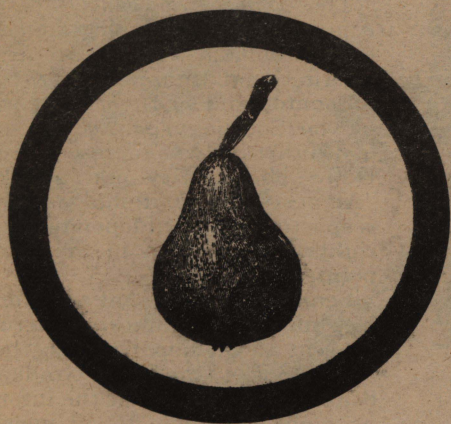




the Ring

"No man but a blockhead ever wrote, except for money."

Samuel Johnson (1709-1784)

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Undergrads miss election

There are 5,416 undergraduate students enrolled in the Faculties of Arts and Science and Education, but not one could be found to stand for a seat on UVic's top academic governing body, the Senate, in a Sept. 12 election.

The election was held to fill vacancies on the Senate for three students at large, positions that were not filled in the March Senate elections.

The senate did elect law students Mary-Jane Bilinski and Roy Kahle and engineering student Faith Hennessey as students at large. Engineering and Law have a combined total of 316 students.

The fact that the two largest undergraduate faculties were not represented in the election brought expressions of concern from senator Dr. Richard Powers (Political Science) and Senate chairman Dr. Howard Petch, UVic president.

"Is the Alma Mater Society still functioning?" asked Powers. There seems to be a lack of concern about the Senate elections on the part of the undergraduate population."

Petch said he was concerned that student representation on Senate be more in line with their numbers in the various faculties. "Almost half the student senators at large are from the Faculty of Law. I personally think it is unfortunate that such a disproportionate number should come from a single discipline."

Student senator Corrine Mol pointed out that most students from Arts and Science and Education were not on campus during the summer and asked that the election be deferred until the October Senate meeting.

Senate defeated the motion as an injustice to those already nominated. Elections for students representing the Faculties of Education and Graduate Studies were deferred until the October meeting as was an election to fill a vacancy for a faculty member from Education.

Student Gary Kines was elected by acclamation as a student senator from Fine Arts and Ron Poulin was elected as a student senator from the Faculty of Engineering.

Dr. Geoffrey Vickers was elected as a faculty member from Engineering while Prof. Dirk Wynand (Creative Writing) was elected from Fine Arts. Prof. Ron Cheffins was elected to fill a vacancy from the Faculty of Law.

Part-time studies now legal

The Faculty of Law at UVic can now offer a part-time program for students in exceptional circumstances.

The Senate, at the Sept. 12 meeting, approved a request from Prof. Lyman Robinson, Dean of Law, for the part-time legal studies program.

Senate first approved the proposal from Robinson in November of 1983, subject to obtaining the approval of a significant number of the provincial accrediting agencies.

At the September meeting, Robinson announced that six agencies, including the Law Society of British Columbia had approved the part-time program, and agencies in several other jurisdictions were still considering the matter.

Robinson said objections to part-time

legal studies stem from a concern that a part-time program, which would take a maximum of six years to complete, means that the law learned in first year would be stale by the time the student graduated. There is also a belief that the standards in a part-time program would not be as rigorous as in the full-time program. He added that he disagreed with both of these views.

Senate approval means that a maximum of six first-year students will be admitted to part-time studies in 1985, said Robinson. "Students applying for part-time studies must satisfy the faculty that they are unable to attend full-time because of health, physical disabilities or exceptional family or financial hardships," said Robinson.

UVic plans endowment to boost student aid

Up to \$45,000 a year could be added to university-administered student aid at UVic pending the successful outcome of negotiations to be carried out between the university and the Vancouver Foundation.

UVic president Dr. Howard Petch was authorized by the Board of Governors Sept. 17 to establish an endowment fund with the Foundation, through which the Foundation would accept from UVic on a matching basis funds of up to \$150,000 per year for the next three years.

Academic vice-president Murray Fraser, acting for Petch at the board meeting, said the money paid into the fund by UVic would come from non-

recurring funds being carried over from previous years.

In reply to a question from board member Dr. Alec MacAuley, who inquired whether money donated to student aid by UVic CUPE locals and the Faculty Association would be used for the endowment fund, Fraser said the Faculty Association had already requested that its contributions be included in the endowment funds earmarked for the Vancouver Foundation.

The Vancouver Foundation received a net return of 10 per cent after deducting administrative costs of two and one-half per cent on 252 funds which it administered last year.

UBC and UVic to seek answers to mystery of missing students

UVic and the University of British Columbia are both planning extensive surveys in an attempt to determine some of the reasons for the dramatic decline in first-year enrolment at the two universities.

At UVic, enrolment in first year dropped by 450 students or 18 per cent while at UBC, figures this week show a decline of 700 students or 17.6 per cent.

The overall enrolment decline at UVic is 2.4 per cent while UBC enrolment was down by two per cent, compared to last year.

UVic Administrative Registrar Gordon Smiley said letters and questionnaires will be sent to all students who were admitted to UVic but did not register. The results of the survey will be analyzed by the Office of Institutional Analysis and sent to the executive committee. "We likely won't have a final report until the

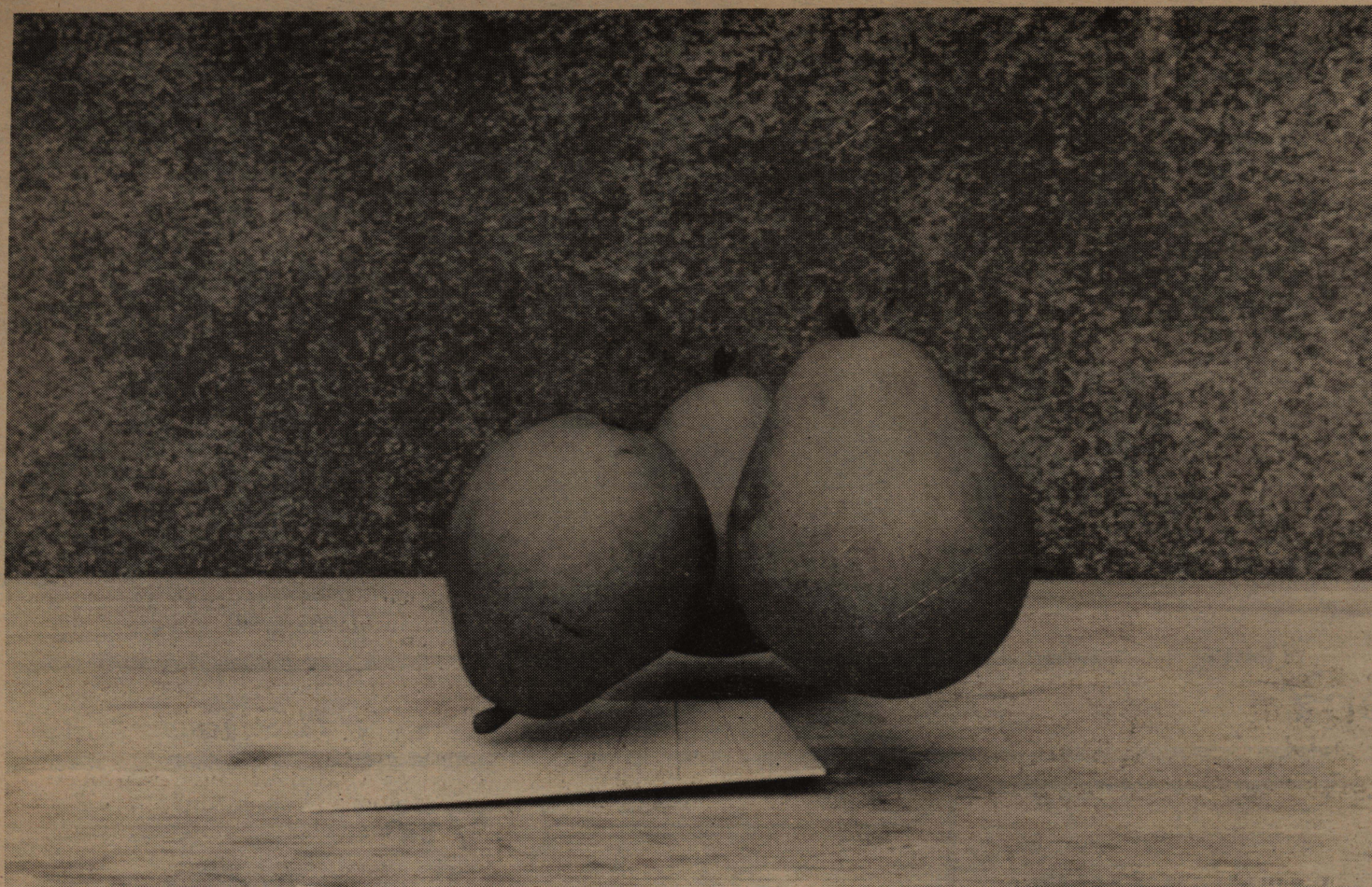
end of October," said Smiley.

A UBC spokesman said a quota, limiting enrolment in first year at UBC to a maximum of 3,800 students, was not needed since only 3,273 students actually enrolled this year.

At Simon Fraser University, where there is a larger percentage of college transfers and mature students than at UBC and UVic, enrolments are about the same as last year.

A spokesman said the number of high school graduates enrolling in first year at SFU is down by 4.6 per cent this year. Overall, SFU enrolment is up about one half of one per cent, to a total of 11,011 undergraduates.

Graduate enrolment at UVic is up by three per cent over last year, according to preliminary figures released earlier this week. There are a total of 1,161 graduate students registered at UVic.



Jim Gorman, Vancouver Art Gallery photo

Animated Pears #2 (1981)

Planned photos featured

A variety of surprising and evocative images, achieved through conscious manipulations of objects, light, color and space, are at the Maltwood Gallery this month in a special touring exhibit circulated by the Extension Department of the Vancouver Art Gallery.

Deliberations: Assembled Images in Photography, presents 31 pieces by nine Canadian and American artists whose work challenges the more conventional notion of the photographer's role as a

visual reporter or witness. The photographers of this exhibit have pre-arranged or constructed their subject matter specifically for the purpose of being photographed.

Most works in this show are in color achieved through the processes of ektacolor, dye transfer and cibachrome prints, and Polaroid material. There are also two series of black and white prints, which rely on toning and hand-tinting, and the use of photograms and negative

manipulation.

Contributing artists are Randy Bradley, Jack Buquet, Share Corsaut and Cheryle Sourkes from Vancouver; Michael Mitchell and Volker Seding from Toronto; Janet Pietsch and Stanley Smith from Seattle and John Divola from Los Angeles.

The special touring exhibit is being assisted by the British Columbia Cultural Fund and the National Museums Corporation.

Nominations open for chancellor

The call for nominations for chancellor and for four members of the Convocation on Senate is now open.

Nominations close Oct. 26 and about 15,000 members of the UVic Convocation are eligible to nominate candidates and vote in the elections.

Ballots will be mailed to members of the Convocation Nov. 2 and must be returned to the office of Registrar Ron Ferry by Nov. 23 to be eligible for the ballot count. The new chancellor and the senators will hold office for three years, beginning Jan. 1, 1985.

Dr. Ian McTaggart Cowan, finishing his second three-year term as UVic chancellor, is not eligible, under the University Act, to be nominated for a third term. The chancellor is the ceremonial head of UVic, presiding at official functions such as Convocation ceremonies. The chancellor also sits as an ex-officio

member on the Board of Governors and Senate, the two top governing bodies at the university.

Members of the Convocation who are not faculty members are eligible to stand for the Senate. The chancellor does not have to be a member of the Convocation but he or she must not be an MP or MLA, or an employee of a university, the Ministry of Education or the Ministry of Universities, Science and Communications.

The chancellor must be a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant and a person who normally resides in B.C.

Workshops planned for teaching grads

Workshops for lab instructors and other graduate students with teaching responsibilities have been organized for Oct. 5 by the Learning and Teaching Centre.

The orientation day will be held in the Green Room of the Commons Block from 8:30 to 11:45 a.m.

Dr. David Leeming (Mathematics) will conduct a workshop on grading and marking with tips on constructive criticism and handling student complaints about grades.

Dr. Norma Mickelson (Education) heads a workshop on translating instructional theory into practice, dealing with teaching techniques and building constructive relationships with students.

Anyone interested in attending either or both of the workshops should contact the Centre in the Begbie Building at 8571 for further details.

Shinerama set for Sept. 22

Saturday, Sept. 22, UVic "shiners" will be at all major downtown street corners, as well as most shopping malls, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., as part of the annual UVic student Shinerama to raise money for the Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

Last year, students armed with polish and brushes raised almost \$10,000 for the Foundation and this year they are hoping to better that record.

Members of the campus community and general public can aid in the fight against this potentially fatal, hereditary disease that is prone to affect the very young, by wearing their scuffed shoes before heading downtown and donating money for a shine towards Shinerama '84.

Shineramas nationally have occurred for almost 20 years. Shinerama '84, in Victoria, is being well-supported by the Victoria community, reports Mike Peterson, Shinerama co-ordinator and Alma Mater Society vice-president, programs.

The municipal government of Victoria and Esquimalt have proclaimed Sept. 22 Shinerama Day '84, and radio station CFMS has pledged air time to help the cause. Most Victoria mall managers have promised to welcome shiners, and support has been forthcoming from Labatt Breweries of B.C., McDonald's Hamburgers and Goodwill Bottling, Peterson adds.

It's hoped that everybody will give generous support and make this year's Shinerama the best ever.

Senate joins Amnesty appeal

The UVic Senate has gone on record in support of Amnesty International's direct appeal to the Peruvian government on behalf of 16 "disappeared" teachers.

The Senate was asked to support Amnesty International's campaign in a letter from the Victoria branch of the international organization.

Senators did so after Dr. Rennie Warburton (Sociology) pointed out that there is no other body as representative of the UVic community as the Senate. "Amnesty International is the most respected and independent human rights organization in the world," he pointed out.

Senate requested that an information brochure from Amnesty International be sent to all departments, the Alma Mater Society and the Graduate Students Society and that the information be made available to all members of faculty.

In the brochure, the disappearance of 16 teachers from the Andean area of Peru is described and an appeal is made on behalf of the teachers. Amnesty International is requesting Peruvian government officials to investigate all the cases of the missing teachers, that their whereabouts and legal status be established and that those responsible for their illegal detention or unlawful murder be made accountable. The brochure contains the names of the sixteen teachers and notes on their cases. Also contained are the names of Peruvian officials to whom appeals may be addressed, with a model letter.

According to Amnesty International, many of the missing teachers are former leaders of the teachers' union SUTEP. Most were reportedly detained by members of the government's security forces in the presence of witnesses. Some were detained in classrooms in the presence of their students. Despite these reports, authorities have refused to acknowledge that the detentions took place.

Stewart re-elected

Ian Stewart was re-elected by acclamation as chairman of the UVic Board of Governors (BOG) for 1984-85 at the Sept. 17 meeting of the board.

This is the third year of BOG leadership for Stewart, a Victoria lawyer, whose connections with the university's governing body extend back to 1976 when he was first appointed to the BOG by the provincial government. He was re-appointed to a three-year term in 1978, then resigned from the board in 1979 when he was appointed to the Universities Council of British Columbia (UCBC).

In August, 1982, Stewart was again appointed to the BOG for a three-year term.

Ring Road closed

The Ring Road will be closed to traffic from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Sept. 23 for the annual Terry Fox Run which begins and ends at Centennial Stadium.

Access to parking lots inside the Ring will not be available during this period. The road will be closed to all but emergency vehicles. The No. 14 University bus will alter its usual route to make a loop just outside the campus during the period.

The Terry Fox Run, to which everyone is invited, starts at 10 a.m.

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Four awarded law scholarships

Four students who entered the Faculty of Law this September have been selected as recipients of the Law Foundation of British Columbia Entrance Scholarships.

Selected from applicants from across Canada are Jacqueline Jonson, Freya Kristjanson, Timothy Richards and Janice Hansen. They receive scholarships of \$4,500, renewable for each year of the Bachelor of Laws program if they maintain a first class standing.

Scholarship recipients were selected on the basis of their academic achievements and the selection committee's assessment of their potential to make a contribution to the community.

Jonson, a resident of Edmonton, Alberta, graduated from the University of Alberta in 1982 with a Bachelor of Science degree, major in computer science. She continued her studies at the University of Alberta and graduated in the spring of 1984 with an M.B.A. in accounting. Jonson accumulated an outstanding academic record.

Kristjanson, of Ottawa, graduated from Queen's University in Kingston in 1983 with a first class honors Bachelor of Arts degree majoring in politics.

She was twice on the Dean's Honor List at Queen's, and since graduating she has been a federal parliamentary intern. Kristjanson has received numerous awards and scholarships.

Richards, born in Castlegar, graduated from Carleton University in the spring of 1984 with an honors Bachelor of Arts degree majoring in Economics. While at Carleton he was the campus club co-ordinator for Amnesty International. He has received numerous awards and scholarships.

Hansen, born in Port Alberni, attended secondary school there and attended UVic for the past three years maintaining a first-class standing in the Bachelor of Arts degree program with a major in economics. The many awards and bursaries she has received include the Rotary International of Port Alberni, the Port Alberni local of the Independent Order of Foresters, and the Provincial Hight Court of the Independent Order of Foresters, for 1981-82; the President's Scholarship from UVic, the Victoria Chartered Accountant's Association Award, and the IBM Canada Bursary for 1983-84; and the President's Scholarship from UVic for 1984-85.

Centre endorsed by Senate

The Senate has re-affirmed the value and importance of the Learning and Teaching Centre to the academic life of UVic.

"I'm very impressed with the operation and I believe it is one of the most effective ways of dealing with teaching and learning problems," Prof. Murray Fraser, Vice-President Academic, told the Senate at the Sept. 12 meeting.

Fraser concluded that the Centre plays "a vital role in the academic life of the university" in a report submitted to the Senate.

The report was compiled after Fraser established a three-person advisory committee to assist him in conducting a review of the Centre requested by Senate.

The committee consisted of chairman Dr. Larry Devlin, co-ordinator of professional development programs, Extension; Dr. John Money (History) and Education librarian Don Hamilton.

In his report Fraser pointed out that the Centre was established to support and enhance the quality of learning and teaching at UVic. "It was apparent to the advisory committee that the directors of the Centre have been guided by this mandate in planning and developing a rich program of activities."

Fraser said the program at the Centre



Manager of Audio-Visual Services on campus, Ron Harper (above left) and Dr. Andy Farquharson, professor and Director of the Learning and Teaching Centre on campus, are pleased with a new event they have planned. If you are a member of faculty or staff at UVic and want to learn about the range of services available in Audio-Visual Services in the basement of the McPherson Library, Audio-Visual Update on Sept. 26 is a date to mark in the calendar. The open house event to better acquaint campus personnel with film, television, photography and teleconferencing services available at A-V is being jointly sponsored by A-V and The Learning & Teaching Centre. Attendance is on a drop-in basis between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. A bonus free offering is a five-by-seven-inch color photograph for every faculty and staff member who completes the tour which will be offered by A-V staff. Those attending may also take part in a draw for one semester of free film loans from the existing holdings, and from the Media Exchange Co-operative.

Consortium should provide benefits

Dr. Glen Farrell, director of University Extension, sees many positive aspects for students and distance education in Dr. Pat McGeer's announcement of a "consortium" to co-ordinate distance education programs throughout British Columbia.

McGeer, Minister of Universities, Science and Communications, announced the formation of the consortium Sept. 7. The five institutions involved include UVic, UBC, SFU, the Open Learning Institute and the Knowledge Network.

The result, according to McGeer, is that a person will now have a more realistic option of obtaining a university degree without ever setting foot on a university campus.

Credits from all universities will be applicable to a degree from the Open Learning Institute, quadrupling the number of available credits at OLI to 250, said McGeer.

Farrell said there is nothing new in the five institutions working co-operatively to co-ordinate distance education programs.

"I hope we can undertake this mission of providing distance education in a more consistent fashion," he said. "I believe the benefits will include more stable funding for universities for distance education and more co-operation between the universities in the areas of student advising and promotion of courses."

Speaker examines tense situation

Dr. Peter Harnetty, a historian of modern India, will address the question of whether the forces for unity or disunity are stronger in today's India in a lecture on campus Sept. 24.

Harnetty, a professor of Asian Studies at the University of British Columbia, is the second speaker in the University Extension Association lecture series.

He speaks at 8:15 p.m. in Room 159 of the Begbie Building. Students are admitted free, with others paying \$1 at the door.

In his speech, "India Today: Unity or Division", Harnetty will look at the contemporary situation in three troubled areas, Punjab where there is a Sikh majority, Kashmir where there is a Muslim majority and Andhra Pradesh where there is a Hindu majority.

"The divisions in India are based on religious and sub-national differences but these are balanced by strong national interests," explains Harnetty. "It seems that the forces that hold India together are stronger than the differences."

Harnetty pointed out that the election to be held throughout India before January will have an effect on the issues and the outcome of the election will have an important effect on the way these issues are dealt with.

Harnetty has been studying and teaching about India for 26 years. He served with the British Army in India from 1944 to 1949 and has spent four full years in India since, the last time in 1980-81 on study leave from UBC.

There are 10 lectures in the association's 1984-85 program. Dr. Thomas Shoyama, visiting professor in the School of Public Administration at UVic, will speak on Oct. 15 on "Whither Canada's Economy". Shoyama is former federal Deputy Minister of Finance.

Nominations open for AMS president

Alma Mater Society by-elections to fill the positions of AMS President and eight directors' seats will be held Oct. 11.

This will be the first time that an AMS president has been selected through a by-election, following the resignation from the position of Joanne Howard, who was elected in regular AMS elections last spring.

Nominations for the open positions opened Sept. 20 and will close Sept. 28 at 4 p.m.

AMS vice-president for programs, Mike Peterson, reports that the AMS is also looking for people to represent the AMS on numerous university committees including the student employment committee; food services advisory committee; bookstore advisory committee; chaplains' services committee; physical education, athletics and recreational facilities user committee; and the committee on athletics and recreation.

Students interested in serving on any of the committees should contact Peterson before Sept. 30.

Friday, September 21st.

Last day of registration for Fall recreation and intramurals classes. Classes begin the week of Sept. 24. Registration forms are available at the Recreation Office, MCKI GYM. Maltwood Art Museum and Gallery. *Deliberations: Arranged Images in Photography* (from the Vancouver Art Gallery). Continues until Sept. 30. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday to Friday, 12 noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, and during evening events at the University Centre Auditorium. McPherson Library Gallery. *Geoffrey Hodder—lift-prints in oil*. Continues until Oct. 1. Library hours are 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday to Thursday, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Sunday. *SHINERAMA '84* sign-up—get involved and help raise money for Saturday's one-day shining blitz in aid of Cystic Fibrosis Research. SUB Executive Offices.

- 2:30 p.m. Seminar presented by the Dept. of Physics. Dr. Jack Sweeney, Pacific Geoscience Centre, will speak on "Arctic Tectonics—What We Know Today." ELLI 061.

Saturday, September 22nd.

- 8:00 a.m. *SHINERAMA '84*—all shiners meet in the SUB Upper Lounge. 7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Romancing the Stone*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m. *SHINERAMA DANCE*. Commons to Block.

Sunday, September 23rd.

- 10:00 a.m. The Fourth Annual Terry Fox Run. Centennial Stadium. 7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Romancing the Stone*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m. Theatre.

Monday, September 24th.

- 2:30 p.m. Seminar presented by the Dept. of Political Science. John Dunn, Fellow of King's College, Cambridge, and visiting Lansdowne Scholar, will speak on "Unimagined Community: The Deceptions of Socialist Internationalism." BEGB 157. 3:30 p.m. The Dept. of Geography presents Dr. Rudolph Wikkramatilleke (Geography) speaking on "Ethnic Conflicts in Sri Lanka: Reasons and Reflections." CORN B145. 7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *La Traviata* & (Italy/France 1982). Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m. The University Extension Association Program presents Dr. Peter Harnetty, Professor of Asian Studies, UBC, speaking on "India Today: Unity or Division?" \$5 admission for the series (9 remaining lectures) or \$1 per lecture at the door. Students free. BEGB 159.

Tuesday, September 25th.

- 12:30 p.m. *Curric's Flicks*—a series of free to noonhour videos and films presented by the Curriculum Laboratory in association with the Faculty of Education and the Film Library. Featured today: *Captive Minds—Hypnosis and Beyond*. MACL D101. 1:30 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. A.D. Nuttall, Professor of English, New College, Oxford University, will speak on "Faces and Pronouns: Visual Artists and Poets." Free and open to the public. Conference Room (A180), University Centre. The Learning & Teaching Centre and the Computing Centre present *An Introduction to the Computing Centre* for faculty and staff—a 2 hour overview of the organization, equipment, software and special services of the Centre. CLER C030. For confirmation of attendance, contact the Learning & Teaching Centre, BEGB 131. (Additional session also on Sept. 27, same time and place.)

Wednesday, September 26th.

- 10:00 a.m. The Learning & Teaching Centre and Audio-Visual Services pre-

4:00 p.m. sent an open house for review of services for faculty and staff, including film, television, photography and teleconferencing. Audio-Visual and Television Services, McPherson Library Basement.

3:30 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. A.D. Nuttall (see above) will speak on "Reductionism" (seminar). Free and open to the public. University Centre A183.

7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Odd Obsession* (Japan 1960). Subtitles. Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. Dr. Ernest R. Duncan, Professor Emeritus, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, and author of many noted Mathematics textbooks and curricula in North America, will speak on "Help Me With My Child's Math!" Free and open to the public. MACL 541.

8:00 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. John Dunn, Fellow of King's College, Cambridge, will speak on "The Future of Political Philosophy in the West." Free and open to the public. Conference Room (A180), University Centre.

Thursday, September 27th.

- 12:30 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. A.D. Nuttall (see above) will speak on "Keat's 'Eve of St. Agnes' and the Poetic Imagination." Free and open to the public. CLER A307. Curric's Flicks—*The Portrait and Landscape*. MACL D103. 7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. Double feature. *The Bad and the Beautiful* and *The Sweet Smell of Success*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

Friday, September 28th.

- 12:30 p.m. Fridaymusic. Free noonhour recital featuring School of Music students. MUSIC BUILDING, RECITAL HALL. The Dept. of Creative Writing presents a reading by Matt Cohen, author of *The Spanish Doctor*, *The Disinherited*, *The Sweet Second Summer of Kitty Malone* and *Flowers of Darkness*. No admission charge. CLER C112. 2:30 p.m. Seminar presented by the Dept. of Physics. Don Stenton and Dick Williams of UVic will speak on "UVic Researchers Visit ECNU, Shanghai." ELLI 061. 3:30 p.m. Faculty of Graduate Studies meets. CORN B108. 7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Footloose*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m.

Saturday, September 29th.

- 7:00 p.m. Cinecenta films. *The Dresser*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m.

Sunday, September 30th.

- 7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Boat People* & (Hong Kong 1982). Subtitles. Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m.

Monday, October 1st.

- 10:30 a.m. The Dept. of Psychology presents Dr. Sara S. Sparrow, Yale University, speaking on "The Vineland Adaptive Behavior Scales." CORN A221. 2:00 p.m. Faculty of Engineering meets. SEDG 011. 7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Boat People* & (Hong Kong 1982). Subtitles. Admission charge. SUB Theatre. 9:15 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. Prof. Geoffrey S. Kirk, Regius Professor of Greek, University of Cambridge, will speak on "Myths and Imagination." Free and open to public. BEGB 159. School of Music M.Mus. Recital—Paul White, baroque bassoon. No admission charge. MUSIC BUILDING, RECITAL HALL.

Tuesday, October 2nd.

- 12:30 p.m. Curric's Flicks. *Movement and A Film About Cinema-Tography*. MACL D101. 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 3rd.

- 3:30 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. Prof. Geoffrey S. Kirk (see above) will speak on "From Myths to Philosophy in Ancient Greece: Some Further Thoughts." Free and open to the public. BEGB 159. 7:30 p.m. Cinecenta films. *The Leopard*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

The Board of Governors reports the following proceedings from the regular meeting of Sept. 17, 1984.

Resignations

The Board of Governors acknowledged receipt of the following resignations, effective as shown:

Sharon D. Duncan, assistant manager, Food Services, effective Sept. 30, 1984. Donald G. Hyder, assistant professor, School of Music, effective Sept. 1, 1984.

Special Appointment

Andrew Farquharson, professor, School of Social Work, appointed Director, Learning and Teaching Centre, effective July 1, 1984 to June 30, 1985.

The Senate reports the following proceedings from the 208th meeting of Sept. 12, 1984.

New Graduate Awards

The Holiff Family Scholarship (\$1,000)—for a student in the M.A. Program in English, History or Philosophy.

The William G. Bender Scholarship (\$1,000)—for a student in the Master of Public Administration program.

Vice-Chairman of Senate

Professor Roger A. Ruth was elected Vice-Chairman of the Senate for a one-year term.

Learning and Teaching Centre

The Senate passed a motion to affirm its commitment to the Learning and Teaching Centre and directed the Vice-President, Academic to implement the following recommendations:

1. That terms of reference and conditions of

appointment be developed for the Advisory Committee in consultation with the Office of the Vice-President Academic; that the Committee be broadly representative of the University community.

2. That the Senate Committee on Teaching and Learning be invited to nominate a member to serve on the Advisory Committee of the Centre.
3. That goals and objectives be reviewed periodically by the Advisory Committee.
4. That the Director continue to report to the Office of the Vice-President Academic.
5. That a statement of the Director's duties be developed by the Advisory Committee in consultation with the Vice-President Academic.
6. That criteria and procedures for selecting the Director be developed by the Advisory Committee in consultation with the Vice-President Academic; that the Procedures include a university-wide search process.
7. That efforts continue to establish program links with departments and faculties.
8. That the Vice-President Academic present to the Senate the Annual Report of the Learning and Teaching Centre together with any additional comments he may wish to make.

Part-time Studies in the Faculty of Law

The Senate approved the implementation of the program of Part-time Legal Studies in the Faculty of Law, effective 1984-85. Regulations governing such studies were adopted by the Senate last spring but implementation was delayed until a significant number of the Provincial accrediting agencies in Canada approved the program.

Volunteer Fair set

The Victoria Volunteer Bureau is holding a Volunteer Fair in University Centre, Sept. 26 and 27.

This event brings together non-profit agencies needing volunteer help and students wanting to extend their learning experiences through volunteering. The Fair takes place from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"The Bureau has worked closely with the university in the past by locating placements for students seeking volunteer experience," said Alan Currie, the Bureau's executive director. "Many of

Victoria's non-profit agencies depend on student volunteers to keep them going.

"Last year more than 400 potential volunteers were recruited through the Volunteer Fair on campus. This year we're hoping to attract even greater numbers."

ringers

Dr. Roger Ruth, chairman of the Department of Psychological Foundations, was elected by acclamation to a one-year term as vice-chairman of the UVic Senate at the Sept. 12 meeting. Ruth will chair Senate meetings in the absence of chairman President Dr. Howard Petch, Ruth succeeds Dr. Richard Powers (Political Science) who served two years as vice-chairman.

After looking at recommendations from the Board of Governors regarding proposed changes to the University Act, Dr. John Schofield (Economics) told Senate Sept. 12 that he has some "fairly grave concerns" about some of the BOG recommendations, particularly ones that propose a reduction in the powers of the Senate. "It might be useful for Senate to have a clarification of the difference in the recommendation from the BOG and Senate and the implications of these differences," he said. Senate decided that a report by Dr. Roger Ruth (Education) on the two sets of recommendations and any recommendations made by the governing bodies of B.C.'s other two universities will be discussed at the October Senate meeting. The BOG and Senate prepared recommendations for changes in the University Act at the request of the Ministry of Universities, Science and Communications in late 1982. The Ministry, at that time, indicated that changes in the Act were imminent.

The Mature Student's Association holds its annual general meeting and election of officers Sept. 23 in the SUB Upper Lounge. An informal get together for coffee and dessert will begin at 3 p.m. and the meeting and elections will commence at 4 p.m. After the meeting the group will adjourn to a local restaurant for an inexpensive meal. All mature students are invited to attend. The Mature Student's Association also meets informally every Wednesday evening at Felicitas in the SUB. A happy hour will be held Sept. 19 from 5 to 7 p.m. Newcomers are welcome and should look for the sign displayed. Further information about any of these activities can be obtained by calling Joan Thomas at 477-4593, Barbara Kelcey at 595-2297 or Russel Day at 386-7772.